

FISCAL NOTE

SB 702 - HB 951

March 6, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Eliminates provisions in the scope of an order of protection including: granting or restoring possession of the residence to the petitioner; directing the respondent to provide suitable alternative housing for the petitioner; awarding temporary custody of children and establishing visitation, or awarding financial support to the petitioner and such persons the respondent may have a duty to support; directing respondent to attend counseling programs.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease Local Govt. Expenditures – Not Significant
Decrease Local Govt. Revenues – Not Significant

Assumption:

- Reducing the scope of an order of protection will result in a reduction in the number of offenders found in contempt of court resulting in a reduction in local government expenditures for incarceration and revenues from fines imposed and collected.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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